

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

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FOUNDATION, INC., ANNE NICOL )  
GAYLOR, ANNIE LAURIE GAYLOR, )  
PAUL GAYLOR, DAN BARKER, )  
PHYLLIS ROSE, and JILL DEAN, )

Plaintiffs, )

v. )

PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA, )  
WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY )  
ROBERT GIBBS, WISCONSIN )  
GOVERNOR JIM DOYLE, and SHIRLEY )  
DOBSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE )  
NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER TASK )  
FORCE, )

Defendants. )

Case No. 08-CV-588

**DEFENDANT SHIRLEY DOBSON'S UNOPPOSED  
MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A  
REPLY BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF HER MOTION TO DISMISS THE  
FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT**

Defendant Shirley Dobson (the "Defendant") by and through undersigned counsel, hereby seeks a one-week extension of time, from Friday, April 17, 2009, to Friday, April 24, 2009, in which to file a Reply Brief in Support of her Motion to Dismiss the First Amended Complaint. As grounds for this motion, the Defendant states as follows:

1. The Defendant filed a Motion to Dismiss the First Amended Complaint on March 9, 2009.
2. On April 7, 2009, Plaintiffs filed their brief in opposition to the motion to dismiss filed by the Defendant.

3. The Defendant's request for an extension of time is based in part on undersigned counsel's obligations in another litigation matter wherein Defendant's counsel has extensive briefing due on a motion for summary judgment in *Galloway v. City of Greece* in the United States District Court for the Western District of New York.

4. The Defendant is also requesting an extension of time in order to have adequate time to respond to the constitutional and legal issues presented by Plaintiffs in the Reply Brief.

5. The Defendant requests a modest, one-week extension of time in which to file a Reply Brief. The Defendant has not previously requested an extension of time to file the Reply Brief, and granting that extension would not prejudice any of the parties in this litigation.

6. The Federal Defendants received an extension of time to reply to their motion to dismiss, and Defendant Dobson is seeking the same extension given to the Federal Defendants.

7. Plaintiffs' has been contacted and agreed to this request.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant respectfully requests that the Court grant an extension of time through and including April 24, 2009, in which to file a Reply Brief in Support of the Federal Defendant's Motion to Dismiss the First Amended Complaint.

Dated: April 15, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on April 15, 2009, I electronically filed a copy of the above using the ECF System for the Western District of Wisconsin, which will send notification of that filing to all counsel in this litigation who have entered an appearance, including counsel for plaintiffs.

/s/Joel Oster  
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